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**BIHAR STATE POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD**



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Ref. No.:-

Patna, dated:-

**From**

Ashok Kumar Ghosh,  
Chairman.

**To**

Sri Hari Shankar Paswan (Proprietor),  
S/O- Sri Sone Lal Paswan,  
M/S Ganga Jal,  
Paswan Nagar, P.O- Khabra, P.S- Bhagwanpur,  
District- Muzzafarpur- 843146.

Proposed Closure Direction under Section 33A of the Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1974 and under Section 31 A of the Air (Prevention and control of Pollution) Act, 1981.

- 1) WHEREAS, the State Government has declared the entire State of Bihar as "Air-Pollution-Control-Area" under the provisions of section 19 of the Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1981
- 2) WHEREAS, you were required to obtain previous 'Consent- to- Establish' (hereinafter referred to as CTE) and 'Consent- to- Operate' (hereinafter referred to as CTO) from the Bihar State Pollution Control Board (hereinafter referred to as the 'Board') under Section 25/26 of the Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1974 (hereinafter referred to as 'Water Act') and under section 21 of the Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1981 (hereinafter referred to as 'Air Act') before establishing and operating your unit.
- 3) WHEREAS, it came to the notice of the Board, that your unit was being operated without obtaining the requisite CTE and CTO.

- 4) WHEREAS, the Board vide its letter no. 1378 dated 11-06-2019, exhaustively explained to you the process of obtaining CTE and CTO from the Board and directed you to make an application for obtaining CTE and CTO from the Board within 7 days.
- 5) WHEREAS, the Board vide its letter no. 1385 dated 11.06.2019, explained to you that you need to obtain the Permission for groundwater extraction, and asked you to get the requisite permission at the earliest, and supply a copy of the same to the Board.
- 6) WHEREAS, on your failure to make application for CTE and CTO as mentioned above, a show-cause notice 03-07-2019 was served upon you, as to why action as permissible under the law should not be taken against you.
- 7) WHEREAS, you failed to file reply to the show-cause notice so issued.
- 8) WHEREAS, operation of your unit without CTE and CTO from the Board is, detrimental to environment and further non-conformity with the statutory norms attracts penal provisions under the Air Act and Water Act respectively.

I, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred upon me by section 31A of the Air Act 1981, and Section 33A of the Water Act, 1974, propose to close your unit and for the said reason, you are hereby given an opportunity to file your objection, (if any), to the above proposed direction within 15 days from the receipt of this notice, failing which directions, as proposed above, shall be confirmed against your unit without giving any further notice, in accordance with the provisions of the Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution Act, 1981 and Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution Act, 1974).

S/d-  
(Ashok Kumar Ghosh)  
Chairman

Memo No. <sup>Legal</sup> 3302

Dated:- 9-8-19

Copy to: R.O Muzzafarpur, for information and necessary action.

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(Ashok Kumar Ghosh)

Chairman

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